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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In connection with the Notice of Incomplete Reley dated October 11, 2001 in the above-entitled application, Applicants respectfully request a one (1) month extension in which to file a response, from October 10, 2001 to November 10, 2001.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to Deposit Account No. 13-0014. Also, please provide any further extensions of time which may be necessary and charge any fees which may be due to Deposit Account No. 13-0014, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

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